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BLOUNT AND STEVENS.

More Hawaiian Correspondence Made Public.

How the Oueen Was Deposed - The Provisonal Government Can Only Be Maintained by Force-Stevens Will Reply.

Commissioner Blount's Statement WASHINGTON, Nov. 21. - Scretary Gresham has made public all the correspondence between the secretary of state and James H. Blount, commissioner, and later minister, to the Hawaiian islands.

Mr. Gresham, in giving this voluminous printed matter to the press, explained that it included everything connected with Mr. Blount's mission to Hawaii, with the exception of some statistical tables relating to the islands. The matter consists of three parts, the first beginning with a copy of the instructions given Mr. Blount on March 11, 1893, prior to his departure from Washington for Honolulu, and the last port ending with a brief letter under date of July 31, 1893, in which he takes his conge as follows:

"The condition of parties in the islands is one of quiescence. The ac-tion of the United States is awaited by all as a matter of necessity. This condition, it can be assumed, will remain until the proposition to annex is accepted or rejected. In the latter con-tingency no sudden movement is likely The present government can only rest on a basis of military force, possessed of most of the arms in the islands, with a small white population to draw from to strengthen it. Ultimately it will fall without fail. It may preserve its existence for a year or two, but no longer."

Then he adds that he has done his duty as well as he could, "considering I was surrounded by persons interested in misleading," and his private affairs necessitated his return home.

Secretary Gresham's letter of instruc-tion to Mr. Blount, dated March 11, defines clearly how far, in the opinion of the president, the use of armed force is permissible by the United States to pull down or set up govern-

ments. Mr. Gresham says:
"In the judgment of the president, your authority as well as that of the commander of the naval forces in Hawaiian waters should be, and is limited in the use of force to such measures as are necessary to protect the persons and property of our citizens; and while abstaining from any manner of interference with the domestic concerns of the islands, you should indicate your willingness to intervene with your friendly offices in the interest of a peaceful settlement of troubles within the limit of sound discretion.

hould it be necessary to land an armed force upon Hawalian territory on occasions of popular disturbance, when the authority may be unable to give adequate protection to the life and property of citizens of the United States, the assent of such authority the assent of such authority should first be obtained, if it can be would-be rescuers were wounded, or done without prejudice to the interests who they were.

Mr. Blount takes the position throughout in his report that the overthrow of the queen was accomplished by a conspiritcy between the foreigners opposed to her and Minister Stevens, who, he claims, agreed to and did land the United States troops to support the movements of the conspirators.

Mr. Elount says the native race feel a great wrong has been done them and their queen, and he adds:

"Indeed, who would have supposed that the circumstances surrounding her could have been foreseen and sanctioned deliberately by the president of the United States? Her uniform conduet and the prevailing sentiment amongst the natives point to her belief as well as theirs that the spirit of justice on the part of the president would restore her crown." That is the only thing in the nature

of a recommendation made. The commissioner closes with a description of the industries of the islands, statistics, comparison of the races, changes in the conditions of the natives, and information tending to show that they have been badly

Mr. Stevens Will Reply. AUGUSTA, Me., Nov. 21.-A reporter of the Kennebee Journal called on ex-Minister to Hawaii J. L. Stevens at his home last evening and asked if he had anything to say regarding Commissioner Blount's statement.

Stevens said he firmly adhered to all of the previous statements in his San Francisco and Augusta letters addressed to the country and in his open letter of last week to Secretary Gresham. He expressed great surprise at the language of Mr. Blount as to treated for diabetes. Mr. Burnes was Mr. Stevens' unwillingness to show him the records of the legation.

Mr. Stevens says he feels himself at liberty to expose Mr. Blount's remarkable conduct towards himself, commencing immediately after Mr. Blount's arrival in Honolulu. It is a record, Mr. Stevens says, the publication of which will astonish all honorable minds, bringing to Mr. Stevens no censure unless it be that he tolerated such insulting treatment without at once resenting it by refusing all intercours with the offending person.

BRUNSWICK, Ga., Nov. 20.-Five new cases of yellow fever were reported yesterday, of which three were white and two colored. There were five patients discharged, all colored. Reports show no abatement in the disease, and we have no reason to expect any until the arrival of a more decided cold wave.

W. E. Shanahan, editor of the Graphic, of Hot Springs, Ark., was assanited and badly disfigured by Ser-geant of Police H. C. Kirkpatrick. The act was the result of an editorial reference to Kirkpatrick's reputation.

The new cases of cholera at Tenn riffe since November 4 have amounted to 175, and there have been seventy-

UNKNIGHTLY KNIGHTS.

A Stormy Session in Which Very Ugly Words Are Freely Used. PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 21.—The gen-eral assembly of the Knights of Labor held another stormy session yesterday, and the lie passed more than once be-tween the administration and the antiadministrationists. Mr. Powderly accused J. A. Wright of giving away the secrets of the order. He declared Wright had furnished the information for the reports printed in a morning paper. Wright denied the accusation

rigorously. The delegates looked anxiously for the report of the finance committee, which was promised, but was not yet ready. It is stated that the committee is divided upon the report, three of the members wishing to vindicate Powderly and two opposing this, and threaten to present a minority re-port, and the report is delayed in order that the difference may be adjusted if possible. The committee has gone carefully over the books and accounts of General Secretary-Treas-urer Hayes, with special reference to the charge of misappropriation of funds made, and had besides heard verbal evidence from the accused in explanation of certain points upon which in-formation was desired.

A resolution requesting the resignation of all the general officers was presented to-day. It was promptly re-ferred to the committee on resolutions, although the delegate presenting it asked for immediate action. Mr. Pow-derly, however, advocated it. The general officers are plainly disturbed over the fact that their proceedings have been published, despite their efforts to prevent it, and they are industriously looking for the leak.

FIGHT WITH MOONSHINERS.

A Second Battle Between Officers and Still Men in Alabama One Killed, Two Wounded.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Nov. 21.—Deputy Collector Caldwell and a posse, who on Wednesday captured a dozen illicit distilleries in a raid among Randolph county moonshiners and killed Andrew Howell near Christiana while he and others were attempting to rescue two prisoners, had another battle with moonshiners in the same locality last night. The officers, after landing the prisopers captured on the first raid in jail at Caldwell, returned to Christiana to capture the still of Moses Smith, the oldest moonshiner in Randolph county. Smith had been apprised of their coming, and as they approached they saw him carrying off part of his still on his back. The officers ordered him to surrender, but instead he opened fire on them. The posse returned the fire. riddling Smith with bullets. He died

on the spot. At the first fire a gang of two dozen of Smith's friends, who were ambushed near by, ran up and opene! fire on the officers with shotguns. The latter returned the volley and two of the gang fell. Seeing they were outnumbered, the officere put spurs to their horses and fled. None of the posse were hurt. It is not yet known how badly the two

BANK STATEMENT.

865,000,000. New York, Nov. 20.—The weekly bank statement to-day showed another large increase -87,641,000-in reserves to-day, bringing the total up to \$65,000,000 in excess of the legal requirement. That is the largest excess of reserves on record with one or two exceptions. A surprising feature of today's bank statement is a decrease of

\$1,250,000 in loans, indicating a very slack demand for money, and indicating that payments are greater than renew als of loans. There is an increase of nearly \$9,000,000 in deposits along with the decrease in loans, indicating that the process of returning money that was withdrawn during the panie is still in progress. It is doubtful whether the New York bank reserves will continue to ncrease at such a rapid rate for the reason that the flow of money from the west is lessening.

Daring Robbery. CHICAGO, Nov. 16 .- About 7 o'clock yesterday morning two robbers entered the office of Treasurer Drake, of the Indiana. Illinois & lowa railroad, in the Rockery building, knocking Mr. Drake senseless and robbed him of \$20,-000, with which he was just about starting out to pay the employes of the

The treasurer was found several hours later by a mail carrier in an insensible condition. No clew to the CHICAGO, Nov. 21 .- C. C. Burnes, vice president of the national bank of St. Joseph, Mo., died here this morn-He had come here to be elected mayor of Atchison, Kan., in 1884, and removed to St. Joseph on the expiration of his term of office and had occupied the position of vice pres

dent of the bank ever since. In 188

he ran for congress against John A.

Anderson in the Second Kansas district, but was defeated. Another Disaster at out Islan NEWPORT, R. I., Nov. 21.-Goat Isl; and, the site of the United States government torpedo station, was the scene of another disaster vesterday afternoon. Seven workmen engaged in making an excavation for the erection of a gun factory were buried under a dozen feet of earth through the caving in of a bank. One was killed almost outright and two more will die from

are all painfully hurt. Fire in a Seminary

Madison, Wis., Nov. 18.-Edgewood. the Catholic seminary situated two miles east of here, was destroyed by fire last night, and two of the inmate were turned to death, while a third was probably fatally injur financial loss is about \$50,00 . partially

their injuries, while the remaining men

Gov. Peck, of Wisconsin, has taken official notice of the situation among the starving m ners at Hurley, and has requested the people to send assistance

MANY LIVES LOST.

Terrible Hurr'cane Along the British Coast.

ores of Ves . Lost and Hundreds of Men Reported Drowned -A Storm That Lasted Over Three Days

Wreck and Ruin. LONDON, Nov. 20. - Up to Sunday morning eighty lives were known to have been lost uring the gale which has swept over the British coast for fortyeight hours past and in addition the crews of several boats are still missing. The news arriving every hour records further fatalities, and details the great damage done by the storm.

It is generally agreed that the weather which has just visited the coast of England. Scotland and Ireland is the most severe in many years. Dispatches received from Banff say that the seashore for thirty miles is strewn with the wreckage of vessels. The schooner Pioneer of Hull was washed ashore Friday evening. She was carried over the rocks and cast on the sand. The crew was saved in their

Some idea of the force of the gale can be gathered from the fact that two heavy railroad engines were blown off the track near Inverness, blocking all traffic north and necessitating the dispatch of two wrecking trains to clear the track. The wreckage trains have not since been heard from, so it is supposed that the work has been impeded by a fall of snow

During the height of the fury of the gale the steamer Hampshire was driven ishore in St. Ives bay and was pounded to pieces near Guernard's head, twentyone of the Hampshire's crew being drowned, only one man managing to

reach the shore alive. The Lowestoft life-boat rescued the crews of three schooners and later saved twelve men from drowning, putting to sea in the face of a bl nding snowstorm. The reports from the Tyne say much damage has been done to shipping there and that several small boats have been sunk. There have also been many cases of personal injury by falling chimneys and other such accidents.

At about 10 o'clock at night, amid the driving storm, a large steamer was seen running before the gale with a tar barrel blazing on board of her as a signal of distress. The Scarborough coast guard immediately started down with the rocket apparatus, but when near Filey, eight miles from Scarborough, the coast guardsmen lost sight of the They managed, however, to notify the coast guard station at Filey, who then took up the chase and afterward saw the steamer, with its lurid distress signal, rushing along, swept by heavy seas and evidently in great danger. After a long and exciting pursuit along the coast, station after station of the coast guard being notified to be on the lookout for the vessel in distress, the steamer was finally driven ashore and was made out to be the Rose of Aberdeen. The steamer went ashore near Shreeton Cliff, where coast guardsmen managed to fire a rocket line over her, and the craw burling the breeches buon tackle on board, they were rescued just as the steamer seemel upon the point of breaking up. The coast guardsmen had hardly got the men belonging to Rose ashore through the boiling surf when, at about 1 o'clock in the morning the Norwegian three-masted vessel Armie was driven ashore by the fearful sea and wind prevailing, and began to pound to pieces on the rocks. the seas making a clean sweep over her and washing the crew overboard, one after another, only the mate being

Later.-The midnight reports received make the total number of deaths from drowning during the gale 134, and this is without reekoning the crews of several vessels which have been seen to founder off the coast, and the total fatilities, irrespective of the numerous rews of missing fishing fleets, is estimated at quite 200, according to the most conservat -- estimates. It is impossible at this ar to give in detail the number and condition of the wrecks or damage done to houses or property, but latest reports are that the gale now shows some signs of abating.

The Storm Continues. LONDON, Nov. 21 .- The gale in the English channel was renewed with fury yesterday. All the boats running between (alais and Dover are storm bound at these two ports, and vessels which are arriving at Dover every hour report having experienced the most fearful weather in the channel and in the North sea. Disasters and fatalities are reported on all sides, and distressed vessels are to be seen off every part of the coast. The life-boats have been working gallantly for nearly three days and have succeeded in rescuing a large number of lives.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17 .- Elizabeth Elkins, eldest daughter of ex-Secretary of War Stephen B. Elkins, and Mr. Edward E. Bruner, the well known broker elubman, were married in Patrick's cathedral at 11 o'clock this morning. Cardinal Gibbons, a friend of the bride's family, officiated and was assisted by Archbishop Corrigan.

Official Returns from Iowa DES MOINES, In., Nov. 19-The total count of election returns now completed shows: Jackson (rep.) received 207, 159; Boies (dem). 174, 793; Josephs (pop.), 23,511; Mitchell (pro.), 10,107. The house will stand republican by 79 to 21, and the senate republican by 34 A Royal Pair United.

Imperor Francis Joseph, were wedded to-day with great pomp and ceremony Prince Alexander Dead. GRATZ, Nov. 18.-Prince Alexander Joseph, of Enttenberg, recent prince of Enlgariz, died at noon to-day. He had een ill of peritonitis and inflammation

of the bumbs

MUNICH, Nov. 17 .- Archduke Joseph

Augustine, of Austria and Princess Au-

gusta, of Bavaria, grandaughter of

KANSAS BANK FIGURES. Excellent Showing Made by the Financial

TOPEKA, Kan., Nov. 21. -Bank Com-

missioner Breidenthal has reports from 418 of the 421 state and private banks of Kansas at the close of business October 3, from which he makes the following statement: Deposits, January 3, \$21,139 913 13; October 3, \$14,996, 812,99; decreuse, \$6,143,100.14; legal reserve January 3, \$7,491,205.23; being 35 4-10 of deposits, October 3, \$6,181,718.26, being

41 2-10 of deposits; due from other banks January 3, 64,418,438,33, October 3, \$3,037,181.09, decrease, \$1,381.257.24; borrowed money January 3, \$1,719,530.02, October 3, \$389,047.61, decrease, \$730,491.41; loans and discounts January 3, \$22,920,718.95, October 3, \$17,782,532.532.532.532.532.532 866.07, decrease, 85,187,852,88; over-drafts, January 3, 8700,027,89, October 3, \$408,195.15, decrease, \$380,382.74; to-tal decreased indebtedness, \$6,299,-

177.03. Including person from actional banks to one comptroller of the currency, Commissioner reidenthal estimates the aggregate docrease of anking indebtedness in the state at \$13,000,000. He also says that the state and private banks can pay every dollar they owe out of money due them and still have over \$2,000,000 due them in addition to the legal reserve. He regards the showing made by these reports as remarkable, considering the troubles the country has passed through since January 5 and that Kansas this year experienced the shortest crop in her history.

CHARGES AGAINST A RECEIVER.

been brought by A. Brewer and other creditors. The exceptions his own benefit.

by Hicks. he would have him brought here.

MILLS RESUMING. Other Causes Relight the Fires PITTSBURGH, Pa., Nov. 21.-As a re shut down in the the mills in the

SCAMMON, Kan., Nov. 21. - This evennear Weir City, shot and killed Will

been quarrelsome for some days and electric lights, waterworks and who, after hot words, rushed at Elliott | modern conveniences have been built

done. Elliott is in hiding.

pleased. It often happened that the more powerful ival. The president's decree is to go into effect March 15, 1894.

Hot Springs Hotels Destroyed.

Hot Springs Ark. Nov. 21.—Fire

The National Grange elected officers Hart, of Michigan.

LEHIGH STRIKE.

Trainmen Tie Up Freight Trains-Their Grievances.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 20.—Passenger trains arrived and departed on the Lehigh Valley yesterday as usual, but frieght is tied up by the strike. The officials are feeling their way carefully, not knowing how extensive the strike

BESSED BEEF AND FEPORT STEERS Trainmen Tie Up Freight Trains-Their not knowing how extensive the strike may prove. Here, at the western ter-minus of the northern division, the work of reorganizing freight crews is proceeding, but probably no freight will move until to-morrow. Fortuna e-ly no perishable stuff is stalled on the road. With the experience derived from the struggle in August of last

when the exceptions were filed to the report of G. W. E. Griffit , the receiver of the Western Farm Mortgage & Trust Co. The suit had were to have been considered, but developments immediately · followed which caused the matter to be continued. These exceptions, filed and handed to Judge Allen, charge Receiver Griffith with running the business for | to back up a struggle have been found

fith, quickly arose in court and asked who had furnished the information upon which the exceptions were based. He was informed that it was through Ira W. Hicks, bookkeeper for Griffith. It was charged that copies of letters by Griffith to creditors had been furnished

Judge Decker then charged Hicks Hicks is at present at Lawrence, Kan. After considerable discussion Judge him in ordering Receiver Griffith to proceed criminally against Hicks, and | ern divisions and sufficent affirmatives

Settlement of the Scale and Perhaps sult of the settlement of the scale question on a basis of \$4.95 for puddling and the finishers' union scale on the same lines laid down in the Finish-Youngstown mills resumed yesterday after an idleness of twentythree weeks, the longest continuhistory ing valley. At the Youngstown mill of the Union Iron & Steel Co. the finishing mills were started, the employes expressing satisfaction at resuming work. At Andrews Bros. & Co. the eight and ten inch mills and bar mills were started and the puddle mills

SHOT BY A PIT BOSS.

The town is full of negroes armed to has been driven tack will find in these Winchester. Excitement runs high, and should a gun be fired on either fittest. side there is no telling what may be

Virtual Slavery Abolished. Washington, Nov. 21. - President decree which is in effect a problema-tion emancipation of the aboring classes from slavery. It has been the custom of the government, through its military agents, to take foreible possession of the persons of the lower classes at any and all times, sending them to work where they voluntary laborers of a small planter would be taken away and sent to a

Hor Spaines. Ark. Nov. 21.-Fire here early this morning destroyed the Ozark and Willard hotels and did much damage to the Pullman and Irma hotels. The water works failed and the firemen were unable to successfully battle with the flames. All the guests escaped without injury. The loss is between \$50,000 and \$75,000.

as follows: Master, J. H. Brigham. of Ohio; overseer. E. W. Davis, of Califor nia; lecturer, Alpha Messer of Vermont; steward, A. M. Helcher, of Rhode Island; chaplain, S. L. Wilson, of Misissippi; treasurer, Mrs. E. L. McDowell, of New York; secretary, John Trim ble, of the District of Columbia; gatekeeper. W. E. Harbough, of Missouri; ceres, Mrs. M. S. Rhede, of Kansas flora, Mrs. Anna Bull of Minnesota, lady assistant stewarl, Mrs. Amanda

Rev. Dr. Charles F. Deems, D. D., Les D, dari at New York to the 1915.

year, the superintendent and his aides hope to overcome the yard blockade in a few days.

hees and he treated them this time as curtly as had Wilbur. It was reported and expected that a

strike would occur last spring and

would involve other trunk lines at a

time when the world's fair traffic was

at its full height, but the men saw that

busy times for the roads meant more

money for them, and funds with which

in times past a prime necessity. The Lehigh officials, however, doubtless,

thought that if a strike was not preci-

not occur at all, and accordingly the grievance committee, despairing

of obtaining an audience with either Wilbur or Voorbees, reduced

their appeal to writing and mailed it

to President Wilbur. On the 14th that

official replied in substance that agree-ments made last summer by the Read-

ing were not binding this fall on the

Lehigh. The brotherhood directed a

vote to be taken on the question of a

strike, and the result was an almost

unanimous vote of yeas from the east-

from the northern divisions to make a

OKL HOMA.

Gov. Renfrow's Report Shows the Possiblities of This New Territory.

Washington, Nov. 19.—In an elabo-

rate report submitted to the secretary of the interior Gov. William C. Ren-

frow takes a decided stand in favor of

allotment of the Indian lands and ulti-

mate statehood under those conditions.

His report makes a fine showing for

sider the age of the territory and the

difficulties which have attended its set-

tlement. Gov. Renfrow takes for his

text these facts. An approximate pop-

ulation of more than 150,000, over \$13,-

000,000 of taxable property, six national

and twenty-four private banks, twenty

bushels of wheat to the acre, and

weaves a story which shows what

pluck and perseverance will accom-

plish in four short years. In his report

he stated that the growth of the terri-

tory in the four years following the

opening of the first lands has been in

pitated during the fair it

The grievances of the Lehigh men are of long standing. Numerous efforts have been made to secure a settlement by arbirtation, but the officials of the company have indifferently treated all overtures in behalf of the employes made by the railway federation. The trouble extends back to the fall of 1892 The men say General Manager Voorhees then agreed to certain propositions, but they assert he never kept the terms of the agreement. Last August he promulgated a set of rules governing the employment of men, which contained apparent

He Meets Them with a Counter Charge Against His Accuser. DENVER, Col., Nov. 21.—A sensational cene developed in the district court

Judge Decker, who represented Grif-

with making away with about \$3,500. Allen said that the statement made by Judge Decker in open court justified

majority. The strike, therefore, was ordered for Saturday, November 18, at

will go on to-day. The Brown-Bonnell Iron Co. expects to be ready to light up to-night and the Mahoning Valley

Iron Co. will commence business at

many respects wonderful. Where once the deer bounded over the plains, now ing C. E. Elliott, pit boss at shaft No. 8, are found farm houses and wheat fields, not differing materially from those of McKeever, a negro miner, who had the older states. Fine cities with

the teeth and every citizen carries a happy homes much to console him and

BAD FOR MELLO. Munitions of War Not to Be Permitted to Washington, Nov. 18.—A dispate Barrios of Guatemala has published a in cip er was received at the navy de partment late yesterday afternoon from Rio de Janeiro s gned by Picking.

forces at Rio. The translated dispatch reads as follows: Secretary of the Navy, Washington: Rto Brazil, Nov. 17.—Naval representatives of eight nations, eluding our nation have de-ided not to permit monitions of war to be anded at Rio Santos, still be no in possession of the Brazilian government and connec ed with Rio by railway, musicloss of war for Rio

ommander of the United States naval

VIROQUA, Wis., Nov. 20 .- There is no question but Gen. Rusk's case has assumed a much more hopeful outlook in the past twenty-four hours. He slept well last night without the aid of

food during the day. WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.-The supreme court yesterday directed the dis of the petition of Smith and Bradley in the case of McDade and the others against the territory of Oklahoma. The question was one of land owner-

opiates, and has rested well to-day

He has taken and retained some solid

Prince Pedro as Emperor PARIS. Nov. 29 .- The leading Brazilian residents in this city have been interviewed and say that they believe the news in vegerd to the proclamation of Prince Pedro as emperor of Brazil by

Adm. Nello is anthentic.

MARKET REPORTS.

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Hors Receipts since Saturdar, 1.831 ship-ped Saturday, 192. The market was 5c higher, opening 5 to 10c higher and closing with the gain lost. The following are representative

August he promulgated a set of rules governing the employment of men, which contained apparent concessions. It was not long, the men declared, before these rules were broken and became a mockery A committee representing the federated employes, firemen, engineers, trainmen and operators, again sought redress from General Manager Voorhees. Another agreement was obtained, but it was allowed to be as worthless as the paper it was written on. Then the committee went a step further and essayed to lay the matter before President Wilbur. To their surprise he refused to see them. They went back to Voorhees and he treated them this time as curtly as had Wilbur. It was reported and expected that a strike would occur last spring and strike would occur last spring and Southern mares and geldings.....

Chicago Live Stock. Chicago Live Stock. Chicago, Nov. 21.—Hogs—Receipts. 25,030. official Saturday, 12,784; shipments Saturday, 4,443; left over about 4,000; quality good, market active and firm; prices 5,810c higher. Sales ranged at (5,23 2,65 for light to 10,25 2,50 for rough packing; 5,3 3,579 for mixed; 5,355,5 65 for heavy packing and shipping lots; plos. 24,100,553.

piga 24 1025.53.
Cattle-Receipts, 15,900 official Saturday, 2,-647 shipments Saturday, 820 market fairly active: choice, steady; common lots, 1@10c

Sheep-Reccipts, 18,0 0; ometal Saturday, L. 823 shipments Saturday, 401 market dall and prices 5@10c loxer. The common St. Louis Live Stock. ST. LOUIS, Nov. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000 market weak on natives steady on others. Hogs—Receipts 2,8 : market ac higher light; fa:00.75 t. mixed, 550 0.5 35, heav.; 55.30.5 al. Sheep-Receipts, 50: market speads.

Kansas City Grain.

Kansas City, Nov. 31.—Receipts of wheat
were very small to day for Monday. Prices
were about 40 lower, but at 1 e close the feel-

ago. 33 cars

Pric s were quoted as follows: No 2 hard wheat 48 349c; No. 4 hard wheat 48 349c; No. office of the county clerk.

4 hard wheat, 47% for rejected hard wheat, 44% 47c; No. 3 red wheat, 46% 34%; No. 3 red wheat, 50% for No. 4 red wheat, 47% for Corn was 4c lower at one time during the session, but many sales of mixed were made early at 3 c and the feeling at the close was firm. Exporters bid 40%c New Orleans for the new territory. Incomprehensible it almost seems when one stops to conound lots. Receipts of corn to-day, 151 cars, a year ago,

No 2 white 19, 30: No 1 white 2 morrade of 18c; No 2 white 19, 30: No 1 white 2 morrade of 18c; No 4 white, 2 morrade who a white, 2 morrade who a corn and the same for No 2 white corn to 2 mixed was quoted nominally at 3 c 30 mins and o 3 white the same Shippers bid an effort for No 4 corn, our slithment.

No. I mixed sold at .0 2 se choice red oats No. mixed sold at 6 2 be choice red outs the pr mium No. 4 25 mice. No. 4, 25240; No. 4, 25240; No. 5 white 25 25c. Hav—Rec ipts 0 ours market steady. Timothy, fancy, 1400 1450 choice, 9 0 10 0; No. 1, 8831 250 No. 2, 7, 3280 prairie, fance, 21,754,700 choice, 21,754,700 medium 21,754,700 choice, 21,754,700 medium 21,755,700 low grades, 23,00 4.00

not differing materially from those of the older states. Fine cities with	Chicago Grain and Provisions.				
electric lights, waterworks and all modern conveniences have been built	Nov. 21	Opened	High's	Lou'st	Closing
up. He who deplores that the red man has been driven tuck will find in these happy homes much to console him and justify God's law of the survival of the fittest.	Wh't- Nov. Disc May Corn-Nov Dec May Oats-Nov	6 44 6 54 85 56 85 56 85 85 85 85 85 85 85 85 85 85 85 85 85	59 % 60 % 66% 8 % 2 % 40 27%	59% 59% 60% 60% 50% 50%	6/4 67% 3/3/4 2/3/4
BAD FOR MELLO. Munitions of War Not to Be Permitted to Land at Rto. Washington, Nov. 18.—A dispatch in cip er was received at the navy de-	Dec May Deck May Jah May Lard-Nov. Jah May Deck	12 81 13 84 13 84 13 84 15 84 17 94	12 85 12 85 12 85 12 85 12 85 12 85 14 85 15 84	27 30 12 84 18 83% 12 65 12 65 7 67%	27 42 42 42 42 42 42 42 42 42 42 42 42 42

St. Louis Grain.

St. Louis, Nov. 21. Receipts wheat, 47,118
bu; last year, 14,041 bu; corn. 5,1,6 a bu; last
year, 83,97 bu; oats, 52,830 bu; last year, 34,0 a bu; flour, 4, 50 bbis. Shirments, wheat, 62,47 bu; corn, 46,181 bu; coats, 16,173 bu; rye,
2,754 bu; barley, none flour, 10,218 bbis.
Wheat-Cash, 51%; November, 55%; December, 55%; 56%; May, 61%; 86%; Corn-Cash,
31%; November, J. c. December, 25%; May,
35%; Oats-Cash, 26%; November, 25%; December, 27c; May, 50%; 23%; St. Louis Grain.

Pension Bureau Figures.

year will show no decrease from the sum which is being expended during the present year-\$160,000,000. Since the 4th of last March the present administration has paid out over \$07,000. 000 for pensions. It has suspended about 14,000 pensions, of which 4,000 were of persons residing in foreign countries, who, under a law approved If Mr. Jones is innuocent of any crookby President Harrison, were denot entitled to hold certificates. Of the other 10,000 suspensions, fully 9,000 have been restored to the rolls, leaving about 1,000 permanently dropped.

Mr. Garland's Mother Dead. Hubbard, mother of ex-Attorney-Gen- ties should be punished to the extreme eral Garland, whose daughter recently killed herself, died last night at the interesunt will probably be at Wash-

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IS HE CROOKED?

Sensational Report Concerning Forgeries Alleged to Have Been Made by Ex-Co. Clerk D. R. Jones.

At the time the office of county clerk was turned over to Pres Typer, in Jan., 1892, the retiring county clerk, D. R. lones, was not present in person, havng left the office in charge of his depity, George McGinnis, and being himself in Colorado. The books and papers in the office were found to be in a bad condition, and Mr. Jones was written to by the commissioners, and promised to come down in a short time and straighten things up. We do not know that he has ever been in the city since that time, except to pass through on the train.

Later when the commissioners made final settlement with Mr. Kraftse, the retiring county treasurer, it was found that the books in the clerk's office were in a bad condition and that no satisfactory settlement could be made. The question of procuring an expert to go over the clerk's books and the treasma so urer's books and try and straighten up the discrepency, was discussed and partial measures taken to that end. The republican press of the county has made an effort in a cowardly, partizan spirit, to have the public believe that it was the treasurer's books that were at fault, and that all the blame of the muddle lay with Treasurer-Elect Miller. That such effort fell flat is evidenced by the verdict of the people

The commissioners, after the election, when the matter could not be used for political effect, employed Mr. C. M. Wickwire, late cashler of the First National Bank, to go to work on the books. In a short time he discovered that the amount paid out on county warrants, or script, was greater ment than for several days past No. 2 hard out of store was quoted no inally at 5 c. "raised" before presentment for pay-Recepts of wheat to-day, 102 cars: a rear ment, and the indications pointed to

The method apparently pursued was tois, as near as we can ascertain: A bill for say, \$3 would be resented by a Popeka firm for stationery. The commissioners would allow the bill in the som of \$3, and all the records would snow that only that amount was allowed. The script would be written tor " Three dollars' -the word "Three" being put at the latter end of one line, and the figure, 3 3 90 at the latter end of the line left for the car shipment
Onto were in demand, though a good many
were on saic and he merket was firm
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On the interested of the line left for the
digners. The script would be signed up
by the beautions of the beard and the county cierk, and was ready for delivery. When it reached the county treasorer, however, a "Ninety" would be tound written in front of the "Three" and,a '9" in front of the figure 3"making it call for \$93 00. The total amount thus far discovered as having been raised is \$950. All is on script going to parties outside of the county, and which was collected by the county clerk and the amount of the bills remitted to such parties.

Upon these discoveries being made a warrant was sworn out for the arrest of D. R. Jones. He was located at Oklahoma City, and arrested by the sheriff there. Sheriff Spencr of this county went to Topeka and secured Jan..... 670 67: 640 647: requisition papers, but returned Satur day evening last without his man.

Arriving at Oklahoma.City he found the "bird had flown." The sheriff there had let him get away. The story told by the Oxlahoma sheriff is that Jones professed utter ignorance of what he was arrested for; that Boston Wilson, Dr. McIlvane and other prominent business men who knew Jones here interceded in Jones' behalf and WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.-It is stated at pursuaded him, the sheriff, not to put the pension bureau that the amount to Jones in jail, but to let him remain be asked of congress for the next fiscal in charge of Dr. McIlvane, who was attending Mrs. Jones, who was sick. Jones went to his home with Dr. McIlvane and-he never came back. This is the report that sheriff Spencer made when he returned last Saturday night.

The case has an ugly appearance. edness in office he is certainly taking a peculiar course to prove his innocence. There is no question but what the forgeries have been committed and the county robbed of near \$1000, and possi-WASHINGTON, Nov. 12 .- Mrs. Barbara bly more, and the guilty party or parpenalty of the law. Possibly the wrong The man is suspected; but if so he should aid in the detection of the criminal.